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SUBJECT: EC FOOD AID TO INDIA

REF: (A) STATE 279343, (B) EC BRUSSELS 10776

1. MISSION OFFICER PASSED ON TO EC COMMISSION FOOD AID OFFICIALS INFORMATION CONTAINED IN REF A. THESE OFFICIALS APPRECIATED BEING INFORMED AND SUGGESTED THT THE US AND EC KEEP IN CLOSE CONTACT RE FOOD AID SHIPMENTS TO INDIA.

2. THEY HAD ALSO HEARD THAT INDIA'S STORAGE CAPACITY AND DISTRIBUTION CHANNELS ARE UNDER A STRAIN. AS A RESULT, THE EC MAY HOLD UP 175,000 MT OF WHEAT WHICH IT WAS ORIGINALLY PLANNING TO SHIP WITHIN NEXT THREE MONTHS. THE EC HAS A CONTRACT WITH THE GOI TO SUPPLY ITS GRAIN. CONSEQUENTLY, IF THE GOI INSISTS THAT IT CAN HANDLE THIS AMOUNT, THE EC MAY GO AHEAD WITH PROPOSED SHIPMENTS. COMMISSION STAFF IS CONSIDERING SENDING AN OFFICER TO NEW DELHI TO LOOK INTO SITUATION BEFORE MAKING ANY DECISION REGARDING THESE SHIPMENTS.

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